

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE PCT NATIONAL STAGE APPLICATION OF

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FOR: METHODS OF OBTAINING ISOFORM SPECIFIC EXPRESSION IN
MAMMALIAN CELLS

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AMENDMENT

Sir/ Madam:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed October 10, 2006, having a shortened three (3) month statutory period for response, which expired on January 10, 2007. Applicants enclose herewith a petition for a one (1) month extension of time together with authorization to deduct the appropriate fee. Because February 10 is a weekend date, the filing of this response on Monday the 12th is timely, in view of the extension. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.